

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the paragraph at page 32, line 6, as follows:

Commercially available monomers include a hydroxyl-terminated polyalkylene glycol mono(meth)acrylate manufactured by Nippon Yushi Co., Ltd. such as Blenmer PE-90, Blenmer PE-200, Blenmer PE-350, Blenmer AE-90, Blenmer AE-200, Blenmer AE-400, Blenmer PP-1000, Blenmer PP-500, Blenmer PP-800, Blenmer AP-150, ~~blenmer~~ Blenmer AP-400, Blenmer AP-550, Blenmer AP-800, Blenmer 50PEP-300, Blenmer 70PEP-350B, Blenmer AEP Series, Blenmer 55PET—400, Blenmer 30PET-800, Blenmer 55PET-800, Blenmer AET Series, Blenmer 30PPT-800, Blenmer 50PPT-800, Blenmer 70PPT-800, Blenmer APT Series, Blenmer 10PPB-500B, Blenmer 10APB-500B and the like. Similarly, there are an alkyl-terminated polyalkylene glycol mono(meth)acrylate manufactured by Nippon Yushi Co., Ltd. such as Blenmer PME-100, Blenmer PME-200, Blenmer PME-400, Blenmer PME-1000, Blenmer PME-4000, Blenmer AME-400, Blenmer 50POEP-800B, Blenmer 50AOEP-800B, Blenmer PLE-200, Blenmer ALE-200, Blenmer ALE-800, Blenmer PSE-400, Blenmer PSE-1300, Blenmer ASEP Series, Blenmer PKEP Series, Blenmer AKEP Series, Blenmer ANE-300, Blenmer ANE-1300, Blenmer PNEP Series, Blenmer PNPE Series, Blenmer 43 ANEP-500, Blenmer 70ANEP-550, and products manufactured by Kyoei Chemicals Co., Ltd. such as Light Ester MC, Light Ester 130MA, Light Esters 041MA, Light Acrylate BO-A, Light Acrylate EC-A, Light Acrylate MTG-A, Light Acrylate 130A, Light Acrylate DPM-A, Light Acrylate P-200A, Light Acrylate NP-4EA, Light Acrylate NP-8EA and the like.

Please amend the paragraph at page 68, line 13, as follows:

According to the same procedure as in Synthesis Example 1, ethyl methacrylate/isobutyl methacrylate/methacrylic acid (mol%: 35/35/30) were used to synthesize a copolymer. The weight-average molecular weight (~~polystyrene~~ (polystyrene standard) of the copolymer was determined by the gel permeation chromatography and it was found to be 50,000.